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TO AMEMBASSY BANGUI IMMEDIATE

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TAGS: PFOR, OVIP, CT

SUBJECT: BOKASSA VISIT

REF: BANGUI 1058

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT BOKASSA  
FROM PRESIDENT NIXON.

2. "PLEASE INFORM THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CAR THAT REGRETTABLY  
THE DEMANDS ON THE PRESIDENT'S TIME THIS MONTH MAKE IT  
IMPOSSIBLE TO SCHEDULE A MEETING WITH PRESIDENT BOKASSA  
DURING HIS PLANNED VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES. IT IS  
THE PRESIDENT'S HOPE THAT A MEETING CAN BE ARRANGED AT A  
FUTURE DATE. RICHARD NIXON". RUSH

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